

A1 a first indicia which is not visible under normal viewing conditions, the first indicia comprising a unique ID associate with the holder of the authentication document;--

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 4, line 3 with the following rewritten paragraph:

A2 ^{IP 62} a second indicia which is invisible under normal viewing conditions, the second indicia comprising a unique ID associated with the capture device used to capture the image;

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 4, line 6 with the following rewritten paragraph:

A3 a third indicia in the image which is not visible under normal viewing conditions, the third indicia comprising a unique ID associated with the location or printer used to produce the document;

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 4, line 9 with the following rewritten paragraph:

A4 ^{IP 63} scanning the image so as to obtain the unique capture ID associated with the printer and/or location and/or the printer ID;

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 4, line 11 with the following rewritten paragraph:

A5 ^{IP 64} comparing the unique ID associated with the capture device and the unique ID associated with the location or printer with a known database for confirming the capture and printing device or location that was used for producing the document at the designated location.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 5, line 23 with the following rewritten paragraph:

A6 forwarding the image stored at the data base in response to receipt of the unique ID to the remote location for providing visual verification that the

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presenter is the same as the individual to which the authentication document was issued.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 5, line 27 with the following rewritten paragraph:

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In yet another aspect of the present invention there is provided a method of verifying that the presenter of an authentication document is the same individual to which the authentication document was issued, the authentication document having image of the individual to which the authentication document was issued and an indicia which is not visible under normal viewing conditions, the first indicia comprising a unique ID associate with an image of the recipient to which the authentication document was issued, the unique ID and the image being digitally stored at a data base;

Please insert the following new paragraph on page 6, before the "BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS":

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--These and other aspects, objects, features and advantages of the present invention will be more clearly understood and appreciated from a review of the following detailed description of the preferred embodiments and appended claims and by reference to the accompanying drawings.--

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 1-6, 13-16 and 21-24,

Please amend claims 10, 12, 17, 19 and 20 as set forth below:

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557 10.(Once Amended) A method of verifying that the presenter of an authentication document is the same individual associated with said authentication document, comprising the steps of providing an image on said authentication document, said image including a first indicia which is not visible under normal viewing conditions, said first indicia comprising a unique ID associate with the holder of said authentication document;